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Applicant: Gerard Alan Lynch      Attorney Docket #: 20228-300501  
Examiner: Unassigned      Serial No.: 10/010,993  
Group No. 2165      Filing Date: November 12, 2001  
Title: **METHOD FOR PRESENTING RELATED ITEMS FOR AUCTION**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following:

- ☒ Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Filing Date Granted) (1 page);
- ☒ Declaration Power of Attorney and Petition (executed, 2 pages);
- ☒ Copy of Preliminary Amendment as filed (3 pages);
- ☒ Check No. 127691 in the amount of \$65.00 for payment of the required fees; and
- ☒ Postcard for date-stamped return as confirmation of receipt of these items.

Total fees due in this application amount to \$65.00. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any required additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account 02-3964.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 13, 2002

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

☒ Transmitted herewith is:

- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment for this application;  
☒ A markup of the changes is attached as Appendix A.

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STATUS

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☒ Applicant is a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TIME

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
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☐ If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

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Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is hereby made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

### FEE FOR CLAIMS



The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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						TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$0	OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE \$



No additional fee for claims required.



Total additional fee for claims required: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### FEE PAYMENT



Attached is a check in the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ as payment for one additional claims.



Charge Account No. 02-3964 the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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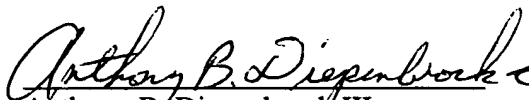


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